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Vonderwalde et al.

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Please preliminarily amend the above-identified application as follows:

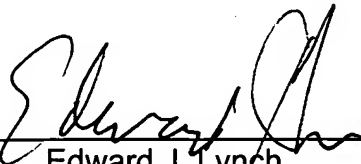
TITLE OF INVENTION

Please amend the title of this invention from "STENT WITH COVER CONNECTORS" to read as follows:

--STENT ASSEMBLY--

Applicant respectfully requests the amendment to the title herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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